

09-24-01

A

JC893 U.S. PTO
08/31/01

Attorney Docket No: FINL-005/00US

PATENT

Express Mail Label Number: EL 821812664 US
Date of Deposit: August 31, 2001

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

Date: 8/31/01

By:


 Joan C. Jackson

 JC879 U.S. PTO
 09/19/01
 44676
 08/31/01

Box Patent Application
 Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is a U.S. Non-Provisional Utility Patent Application entitled: **System and Method for Automated End-User Support**

naming as inventors: **Daniel Keele Burgin, Scott Moore Gosling, David L. Young, and William Randy Watler**

and including:

- ☒ (21) pages of description (before the claims);
- ☒ (8) pages of claims ((24) total claims; (4) independent claims);
- ☒ One (1) Sheet of Abstract;
- ☒ (7) sheets of drawing(s) including Figures 1-7.

1. Also enclosed are:

- ☒ executed Declaration
- ☐ Application Data Sheet
- ☒ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet
- ☒ Power to Prosecute
- ☐ Assertion of Entitlement to Small Entity Status
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
- ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
 - ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF) on 3 1/2" floppy disk
 - ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ☐ paper
 - ☐ The content of the copy in computer readable form is identical to the content of the paper, CD-ROM, or CD-R copy of the Sequence Listing.
- ☐ Nonpublication Request and Certification
- ☒ Other: post card

09-24-01

2. ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first heading the following paragraph:

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§119 and/or 365 to
 ___ filed in ___ on ___, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

A certified copy of the priority application ☐ is enclosed ☐ will follow.

3. ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first heading the following paragraph:

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) to U.S. Provisional Application
 No. ___, filed ___, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

4. ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first heading the following paragraph:

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 to U.S. Patent Application No. ___,
 filed ___, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

5. The filing fee has been calculated as follows ☐ and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$710.00
Total Claims	24	- 20 =	4	x \$18.00	72.00
Independent Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x \$80.00	80.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$270.00					0
Total Application Fee					862.00
If an Assertion of Entitlement to Small Entity Status is enclosed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					
Other fees: (specify)					
TOTAL FEE DUE					862.00

- ☐ This application is being filed without a filing fee. Issuance of a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application is respectfully requested.
- ☐ Check No. ___ in the amount of \$___ for the total fee is attached.
- ☒ Please charge \$862.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1283 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.

X

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1283.

6. Please direct all correspondence concerning this application to:

COOLEY GODWARD LLP

ATTN: Patent Group
One Freedom Square
Reston Town Center
11951 Freedom Drive
Reston, VA 20190-5601
Tel: (720) 566-4125
Fax: (720) 566-4099

CUSTOMER NUMBER:

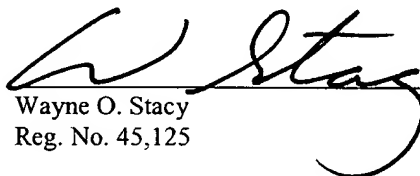
022903

Dated:

8/31/01

By:

Respectfully submitted,
COOLEY GODWARD LLP


Wayne O. Stacy
Reg. No. 45,125

Cooley Godward LLP
ATTN: Patent Group
One Freedom Square
Reston Town Center
11951 Freedom Drive
Reston, VA 20190-5601
Tel: (720) 566-4125
Fax: (720) 566-4099

FOR FILING